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BOLD DEFENCE

Being Made by Senator J. R. Burton.

Questions of the Jurisdiction of the Court Is Now Raised.

RULING OF THE COURT

Permits Defense to Re-call Postoffice Inspector Price,

Who Testifies as to Investigation of the Rialto Company.

St. Louis, Mo., Nov. 24.—U. S. Senator J. R. Burton, of Kansas, on trial in the United States circuit court under an indictment charging that he acted as a paid attorney for a corporation in matter pending before a department of the federal government, went to the witness stand this afternoon.

Before any testimony was introduced, Judge Vandeventer delivered an opinion in which he held that the defense would be permitted to introduce evidence to which an objection was sustained yesterday for the purpose of showing that the postoffice inspectors had communicated to the Rialto Grain and Securities Co., at a time previous to the employment of Senator Burton by the Rialto Co., that the investigation had not shown the necessity for issuance of a fraud order.

Under this ruling Postoffice Inspector M. G. Price, was recalled by the defense.

Mr. Price testified that he made a report to his superior, Inspector Dice, that the condition of the Rialto company was not such that a fraud order was necessary, but said he did not remember telling any one connected with the Rialto company anything to that effect.

Senator Burton was then called to the stand. He was sworn and seated himself in the witness chair leaning slightly forward and answering all questions in a clear, distinct voice, and apparently without hesitation or forethought. He frequently anticipated his counsel's questions, beginning his replies before the completion of the interrogation. The senator's testimony in the beginning, followed closely the former trial with the exception that in describing his conversation with Thos. B. Hadlan, in regard to which the latter has already testified, Senator Burton laid special stress upon the fact that before the conversation relating to his employment by the Rialto company was started on a train on which they were enroute from St. Louis to Chicago, had crossed the Mississippi and was in Illinois, outside the jurisdiction of the court before which the case is being tried.

OF P. JEWELS WERE STOLEN.

Toledo, O., Nov. 24.—Robbers worked the combination of the safe in the office of Wm. Beatty, grand keeper of records and seals of Knights of Pythias, of the state of Ohio, secured only $200 in cash but carried away 100 keys designed for veteran Knights of Pythias. The records of the grand lodge were not taken.

DATE ASSIGNED FOR THE FIGHT.

San Francisco, Nov. 24.—The Fitzsimmons-O'Brien contest will be held in Mechanics' Pavilion on Tuesday evening, Dec. 29. This announcement of the date is authorized by a telegram from Promoter Goffroth, who is now in New York.

RESIGNATIONS NOT TENDERED.

London, Nov. 24.—It is understood that the proposal for the collective resignation of the cabinet was rejected at a meeting of the council today, and the ministers arrived at the decision that it would be better to dissolve parliament themselves and appeal to the electorate. Should this course be followed it will be due largely to the firmly grounded belief that the members would decline to form a cabinet unless a general election places them in possession of an adequate parliamentary majority to carry out the liberal program.

ELECTION FRAUD CASES INCREASE.

New York, Nov. 24.—The magnitude of the election fraud investigation was increased yesterday by several new cases. John Elder was held in $10,000 bail charged with illegal voting and perjury, and Jas Gallagher was held in $5,000 bail on a charge of perjury. It is charged that Elder voted in a district which was not his residence and that Gallagher swore to Elder's residence in that district.

Frank D. Batesig, a member of Tammany board of elections, arrested on a charge of neglect of duty, was held in $5,000 bail.

W. R. Hearst's lawyer found 951 votes in the one election district of the twentieth assembly district which should have been counted for Hearst and were not.

FOLLOWS HER SWEATHEART.

Madisonville, Ky., Nov. 23.—Miss Mary Ross, a prominent young society woman of this county, took her life by shooting herself with a revolver. It is said she killed herself on account of the loss of her sweetheart, Robert Wyatt who was killed in a duel with Jack Jones about a month ago. The young men were both suitors for the hand of Miss Ross and the duel came about through Wyatt's jealousy.

CONDITION IS SERIOUS.

Pittsburg, Pa., Nov. 24.—The condition of Captain Samuel S. Brown, the well known coal operator and horseman is very serious today. The sick man passed an unfavorable night and was greatly weakened this morning.

HUNDRED AND FIFTH

Anniversary of the Massacre of Missionaries Celebrated Today.

A THOUSAND VISITORS

Crowded a Lutheran Church In Pennsylvania Town During Ceremony.

Bethlehem, Pa., Nov. 24.—Under the auspices of the Moravian Historical society of this place the one hundred and fifth anniversary of the massacre by Indians of Moravian missionaries at Gnadenhuetten, Nov. 24, 1755, now the site of Lehighton, Carbon county, was observed today. More than a thousands visitors from the Lehigh Valley crowded Lehighton and filled Trinity Lutheran church, where the first part of the celebration took place to over flowing audience. The exercises in the church were conducted by Bishop J. M. Levering, of this place, president of the Moravian society. The memorial addresses were delivered by the Rev. Dr. W. K. Reser, of Gnadenhuetten, a lineal descendent of the massacred.

In the cemetery exercises, the services were conducted by the Rev. Morris Leighbert, of New York City.

This massacre is the bloodiest event in the history of the Lehigh Valley and is second in importance to the Wyoming Valley massacre which took place several years later.

HIS TROUBLE IS A SLIGHT ONE.

Boston, Mass., Nov. 24.—Daniel J. Hurley, captain of the Harvard football team was reported, "comfortable with no unfavorable symptoms." At the city hospital today. Dr. Nicholas, the Harvard athletic surgeon, said that it is problematical how long it will be necessary for Hurley to remain under hospital treatment. It is admitted that the blood clot on the brains, which is Hurley's trouble, has affected noticeably the movements of his left arm and legs. But the difficulty is said to be "slight," and at the same time it is stated that there is evidence that the clot is being absorbed slowly and that an operation is nothing more than a possibility. Hurley's mind is clear and he says he feels well enough to go into tomorrow's game.

GARDNER SELLS AS THE FAVORITE.

San Francisco, Nov. 24.—Jimmy Gardner and Mike "Tuia" Sullivan will meet in the ring at Woodward's tonight in a third attempt to settle the question of superiority between them. In the pool room last night, Gardner was the favorite. Both men are in good shape for a hard battle. The fight is at catch weights which has made the condition of the men an easy task.

ONE TRAINMAN

Met Death in a Penna. Collision.

Five Others Were Seriously Injured Through the Smash-up.

A REAR END COLLISION

In Which Three Trains Mix, One of Them Being a Fast Mail.

Wreck Attributed to Heavy Fog That Prevailed During the Morning.

Harrisburg, Nov. 24.—One trainman was killed and five others injured in a wreck on the Penna. railroad at Thompsontown today. The wreck was caused by a rear-end collision between two freight trains going west. The mail train leaving Harrisburg at 4:25 a. m. ran into the wreckage, blocking four tracks and delaying traffic several hours.

S. E. Hugsburg, of Harrisburg, a freight brakeman who had just been promoted to flagman, was killed in the collision between the freight trains.

The injured are: Wm. E. Moore and E. L. Dunn, of Altoona, Pa., engineer and fireman respectively of the freight trains; David Johnson, of Harrisburg, engineer of the mail train, G. W. Baker, of Harrisburg, conductor of one of the freight trains, and Clarence Edmond, a Pullman porter. None of them are seriously injured.

All the coaches of the mail train were wrecked, but no damage was done to the mail. The wreck between the two freight trains is believed to be the failure of the engineer of the second train to see the train ahead on account of the heavy fog.

THE MARKETS.

New York, Nov. 24.—Opening price changes in the stock market were exceedingly heavy. Trading was on a large scale and widely distributed. The Metropolitan traction stocks, St. Louis and San Francisco second preferred, and North American rose in the neighborhood of a point. Thirty-five hundred shares of Union Pacific sold unchanged to ½ lower; Tennessee coal dropped 1¾; Smelting Anaconda 1¼; Northern Pacific, Penna. and Locomotive a point and Erie second preferred, and American car large fractions.

Live Stock Market.

Chicago, Nov. 24.—Cattle receipts 3,500 market steady; beeves 3.25 @ 6.50; cows and heifers 1.25 @ 4.75; stockers and feeders 2.25 @ 4.15; Texans 3.40 @ 4.15; westerns 2.90 @ 4.75.

Hogs receipts 26,000; market slow five cents lower, mixed and butchers 4.55 @ 4.90; good heavy 4.65 @ 4.90; rough heavy 4.40 @ 4.55; light 4.50 @ 4.85; pigs 4.10 @ 4.70; bulk of sales 44.70 @ 4.85.

Sheep receipts 10,000 market strong, sheep 4.00 @ 4.50; lambs 4.75 @ 7.50.

Buffalo Live Stock.

East Buffalo, Nov. 24.—Cattle receipts 2 cars; market firm at Monday's pricese.

Hogs receipts 75 dd; market steady; all grades $5@5.10.

Sheep receipts 50 dd; market very steady; best lambs $7.50@7.60; yearlings $5.75@6.25. Best wethers $5.40@5.75; mixed sheep $5@5.25; heavy ewes $4.75@5.00; culls $3@4; calves $6@9.25.

Pittsburg Stock.

Pittsburg, Nov. 24.—Cattle supply 4 cars; hogs receipts 4,000; heavy $5.10; mediums $5.10; heavy yorkers $5.05@5.10; light yorkers $5.05.

Sheep, erceipts—sheep 5.50 down; lambs $7.50 down; best wethers $5.25 @5.50; good $4.70@5.15; fair $4.25@ 4.75; culls to common $2@3; culls to choice lambs $5@7.60.

Toledo Grain.

Toledo, O., Nov. 24.—Wheat, cash and Dec. 87⅞; May 89¾; July 84¼.

Corn, cash 46; Dec. 44¾; May 43⅞; July 44½.

Oats, cash 31¾; Dec. 31¼; May 33¾; July 32⅝.

Clover seed cash 8.12½; Jan. $.20.

Wheat Decline.

Chicago, Nov. 24.—Influenced chiefly by a decline at Liverpool, May wheat eased off to 86⅝ to 86⅞ here today.

On wet weather reports, May corn steadied at 43⅞@44.

BUFFALOS HOLD A CONVENTION.

Richmond, Va., Nov. 24.—The first annual meeting of the grand herd convention of Buffalos will adjourn tonight to meet next August in Cincinnati. The following officers were elected:

Grand Bison, Chas. T. Bland, Portsmouth, Va.; Vice Grand Bison John S. Barnett, Bluefield, W. Va.; Grand Chaplain, Francis W. Lloyd, Suffolk, Va.; Grand Scribe, T. H. Clay, Huntington, W. Va.; Grand Treasurer, A. Rosenbaum, Newport News, Va.; Grand Justice, J. B. Estein, Richmond, Va.; Grand Picket, W. B. Savage, Wilmington, N. C.; Grand Outside Picket, Louis Barnes, Cincinnati; Past Grand Bison, Thos. Agregg, Roanoke, Va. Board of grand trustees, Grand Patriarch W. W. Gregg, of Cincinnati, O.; Dr. J. S. Tipton, of Roanoke, Va.; Frank J. Korte, of Roanoke Va.; J. J. Morgan, of Roanoke; A. Rosenbaum, of Newport News.

OVERLOOKED BILLS

Safe Blowers Visit Towns In Northwestern Part of the State

GOT LITTLE REWARD.

Made Their Escape In a Rig and the Police Cannot Get a Trace.

Painesville, O., Nov. 24.—Two safe blowers raided the village of South Madison, Lake county, and Thompson, Geauga county, Thursday night, and made their escape.

In Thompson they broke into the postoffice and general store of Crandal Brothers, rolled the safe across the road and into the hotel barn 600 feet away, and there blew it.

They only got $2.50 in pennies. From the store of M. Hackey, they took a quantity of silverware but the safe into which they broke yielded only a small amount. They overlooked a package of bills.

At West Madison they had stolen a horse and buggy out of the barn of M. S. Craley and in it they made their escape from Thompson, driving towards Painesville. Police are unable to find further trace of them, however, and the horse and buggy have apparently disappeared.

FIELD JUNIOR WILL RECOVER.

Chicago, Nov. 24.—Marshal Field, Jr., was decidedly better this morning and the chance for his recovery is considerable much brighter. Dr. Bevand issued a bulletin at nine o'clock this morning saying: "The general condition of Mr. Field is very favorable. His pulse is 88, and his temperature 99.2."

GETTING READY FOR BOLD FRONT.

Paris, Nov. 24.—A dispatch from Lorient, says the French cruiser ean Bart will take on her armament Dec. 12, fo the purpose of forming part of the division charged to make a demonstration in Venevuelan waters. The ministery of marine, however, will not give any additional details.

FOUNDRY PLANT WAS BURNED DOWN.

Cleveland, O., Nov. 24.—Fire early today practically destroyed the big plant of the T. H. Brooks foundry company, 950 to 970 Lake street, manufacturers of structural iron. The loss is estimated at $100,000. The plant of the Otis Steel company, across the street from the Brooks building, caught fire and for a time was threatened with complete destruction. The flames were finally checked, however, after causing a loss of $10,000.

MANY MILLIONS FOR BRICKLAYER.

Chicago, Nov. 24.—Thos. H. Mitchel, a bricklayer, who earns $5 a day, is reported to have fallen heir to $9,500,000, his portion of an estate of $47,500,000 left by two grand uncles in Australia. He says information to this effect came yesterday from his former home, Portuma, County of Galway, Ireland. His mother, he said, has inherited the estate and he will receive a part. He is awaiting further confirmation of the report before he lays down his trowel.

HARD AGROUND

On a Sand Bar, With Lake Michigan Furious

The Passenger Steamer Argo In Danger of Going to Pieces.

LIFE SAVING CREWS

Are Unable to Reach the Vessel on Account of Heavy Seas.

Wind Is Shifting and Boat May Be Totally Destroyed

Detroit, Mich., Nov. 24.—A news special from Holland, Mich., says:

During a terrific storm on Lake Michigan the steamer Argo of the Graham and Morton passenger Co., went hard aground on a sand bar north of the pier and all efforts to release her have, up to this time, been futile. The boat is in great danger of being pounded to pieces as the wind is shifting from the south to the southwest. Owing to the heavy sea which is rolling it is impossible for the life saving crew to reach the steamer and the passengers and crew may be taken off in the breeches bouy. The boat carries a crew of 22 men and has thirty passengers aboard. She left Chicago last night at 8 o'clock. One of the Graham and Morton boats from Benton habor is on the way to Holland to try to release the Agro.

NO MONEY TO PAY IT.

Columbus, Nov. 24.—Vouchers for paying the 217 papers throughout the state for publishing the constitutional amendments are being sent out today. The amount is $35,554.80 but as there is no money for this purpose the next legislature will have to appropriate it.

BANKER SENTENCED

Daugherty Pleaded Guilty to Five of Indictments Against Him.

FIVE TIMES FOURTEEN

Months Given the Educator Who Betrayed Trust Confided Him.

Peoria, Ill., Nov. 24.—Newton C. Dougherty, for years prominent as educator and finansier pleaded guilty today to five of the forgery charges against him in connection with looting the school fund of thousands of dollars. He will be taken to the Joliet penitentiary tonight or tomorrow. Judge Worthington pronounced sentence of fourteen months in the penitentiary on each of the five counts, the same to be concurrent.

In the court room there were 200 spectators who had heard that Dougherty would plead guilty. Attorney Irwin addressed the court. He said that Dougherty had turned all of his property over to him and that he (Irwin) had been given right of attorney to settle the affairs of the prisoner. He added that Dougherty's property would amount to more than the school board defalcations. He admitted that Dougherty had been careless and that he stood willing to take his punishment.

OREGON ORDERED TO RETURN HOME.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 24.—As soon as the historic battleship Oregon, now under orders to return home, reaches American waters she will be sent to the navy yard, and placed out of command and undergo thorough repairs. She will, when recommissioned, be placed in the second line of defense, use being found for her in home waters. The out of date battleship Massechusetts, now at the New York navy yard, will be put out of command soon. Her place will be taken by the battleship Indiana, which is now completing extensive repairs.

CLEVER SCHEME OF JEW PEDDLER.

Boston, Mass., Nov. 24.—Immigration inspectors announced yesterday the discovery of an organized plan in this city whereby Russian Jew peddlers in Boston and New York provide money for steamship tickets for destitute fellow countrymen to come to America and on which the face value of the tickets and interest of 25 per cent is collected after the arrival of the immigrants. Payments are made, it is said, by installments. The plan became known from a witness at a recent inquiry. The immigration officials regard the discovery as timely inasmuch as it will give the authorities all over the country new facts to influence them in dealing with the situation next spring, when a large influx of Russian Jew peasantry is expected.

FORTY THOUSAND UNACCOUNTED FOR.

New York, Nov. 24.—M. M. Madison, a book-keeper in the office of the New York Life Insurance Co., testified today that in 1904 he received a check for $40,000 as the profit on a loan of $920,000 to the firm of Kidder, Peabody & Co., of Boston, he got the check cashed at the First National Bank and gave the money to George W. Perkins, vice president of the New York Life and a member of the firm of J. P. Morgan & Co. He did not know what Mr. Perkins did with the money, because no account of the transaction appeared on the books of the company.

BRAIN WAS INJURED

In Such Manner as to Produce a Compression Says McCormick,

ONE OF THE SURGEONS

Who Saw Midshipman Branch After the Glove Contest.

Annapolis, Nov. 24.—The trial of Midshipman Minor Meriwether, charged with manslaughter as the result of a fist fight with Midshipman J. R. Branch, Jr., was resumed this morning, the sessions being transferred from the temporary recitation hall to the more commodious club room in the officers' mess building.

Surgeon E. M. D. McCormick was the first witness called. He said: "I saw Branch between 10 and 11 o'clock Monday morning. He was unconscious, his left side was paralized. His right arm and leg were continually thrashing and he was much bruised about the face, head, shoulders and forearms. The injuries could readily have been inflicted in a fight by blows of the fist incased in light gloves. The symptoms indicated Oedema of the brain producing compression. It think that the condition was brought about by the repeated blows he had received. I do not think his life could have been saved by any treatment nor do I think that the hot baths or other treatment he received from his friends accelorated his death."

Hot Blooded Grandmother.

Nashville, Tenn., Nov. 24.—The venerable Mrs. C. M. Goodle, of this city honorary president and founder of the United Daughters of the Confederacy, has sent the following telegram to her young kinsman, Minor Meriwether, the midshipman, who is now undergoing a court martial in connection with his fatal encounter with Midshipman Branch

"To Midshipman Meriwether,
Annapolis, Md.,

"The blood of your revolutionary ancestors would have risen up against you had you done otherwise than accept the challenge of Midshipman Branch.

(SIGNED)
"Caroline Meriwether Goodle."

IRISH LASSIE REFUSED THE FLAG.

New York, Nov. 24.—Because she would not wear a tiny British flag the night Prince Louis and his staff were at the theater, May Leslie, chorus girl was fined $15, and yesterday she served notice of suit for damages against the management.

The flags were sent to the theater by British officers and the girls in the chorus were instructed to wear them. Miss Leslie who is Irish, refused point blank. "I'm not the first Irish martyr" she declared.

PORTE'S REPLY

Is a Rejection of All Demands.

Declines All Responsibility For Consequences That May Arise.

IT ALSO CONTAINED

Veiled Threats of Reprisals on Christians For Revenge.

Powers Urged to Make Ready for Serious Trouble in Macedonia.

Constantinople, Nov. 24.—The Portes reply to the demands of the powers is not only a rejection of the demands, but contains thinly veiled threats that the pressure of Europe will possibly exert the Turkish population to reprisals on the Christians. The note declares that the Ottoman government locally introduced the reforms demanded by the Muerzteg program and says that if these did not entirely succeed the fault was in the hatred dividing the nationalities in Macendonia and instigation from abroad. The communication states that the Turkish government finds it absolutely impossible to accept financial control of Macedonia as it would violate the Sultan's sovereignty. After agreeing to the prolongation of the mandates of the foreign civil agents the note concludes

"If the prowers increase the pressure in order to compel the acceptance of the control scheme, the Imperial government declines all responsibility for the consequences which may arise from the discontent among the public."

The latter part of the note implying the possibility of a massacre has created a bad impression in diplomatic circles where it is regarded as being a deliberate attempt to create artificial public excitement against financial reform with the object of intimidating Europe. At the same time it is recognized that there is danger of trouble in Macedonia and that the powers ought to have forces in readiness to act promptly at the first sign of an outbreak.

LIMA THEIR CHOICE

Hospital Commission Will Report to Governor Their Choice.

BOARD OF CHARITIES

Starts Movement to Make It an Institution for Criminals.

Columbus, O., Nov. 24.—The commission appointed by Governor Herrick to select a site for the proposed new state hospital for the insane, is in Columbus and will prepare its report, which is to be submitted to the legislature. The commission has selected a site offered by the city of Lima. The members of the commission are.

Walter B. Richie, of Lima; Dr. E. L. Ferne, of Marietta; C. J. Manning, of Cleveland; A. B. Smith, of Wellington, and A. H. Judy, of Greenville.

Since the legislature made provision for this commission the state board of charities has started a movement to make the new hospital exclusively for the care and detention of the crilnal insane.

The legislature made no provision for the expenses of this commission and so far he members have paid them out of their own pockets, but a bill to refund this to them will be introduced in the new legislature.

WILL NOT INCREASE RATE.

Colorado Springs, Col., Noc. 23.—Brotherhood of the Yeomen decided to hold the next conclave in Minneapolis. A movement to increase the rate of insurance in the order failed to pass.

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EEDI' MYSTERY

That Surrounds Death of a Boy Hero

Who Lost His Life Defending Employer's Bank at Westville.

MAY YET BE CLEARED

By the Arrest of Slater, Says a La Porte, Ind., Correspondent.

Wounded Robber Is Now Suffering Much But Has Not Collapsed.

La Porte, Ind., Nov. 23.—Many believe that the arrest of Harry Slater at Lima, Ohio, will uncover the mystery surrounding the killing of Wesley Reynolds at Westville, this county, in December, 1903. Reynolds, who was a mere boy, was murdered while defending the bank of his employer and though a reward was offered for the arrest of his murderers no light was ever thrown on the tragedy. A monument was erected to the memory of the boy here by public subscription.

A WRONG "ST_ER"

Given Some of the "Fly Cops" Concerning Slater's Election Day Movements.

Some of the "fly cops" and some of the newspaper scouts who have been investigating some of Harry Slater's recent movements, have been given a "bum steer" concerning an election day game he is alleged to have been implicated in. It was reported that he was the leader of and sponser for a number of local men who were taken to Cincinnati and voted in that city on election day in the interest of certain candidates. The information that was given a Cincinnati detective and to a local newspaper man on this matter is wrong. Slater was at the head of a gang of local people who were involved in an election scheme but instead of being taken to Cincinnati and voted they were taken on through Cincinnati to the city of Louisville, where they were used on election day but they were not voted there. They were employed for the purpose of preventing certain other people from voting. They did the work too and for their trouble they received fifteen dollars each and their expenses. The men who were with Slater on this trip are well known in certain resorts on the public square.

SLATER'S CONDITION

Is Very Bad and Result of His Wounds Is Still In Doubt.

At 3 o'clock this afternoon, the physicians who are attending Slater stated that other than the fact that the wounded man is very bad, there was practically no change in his condition. There are no indications of improvement in his condition and one physician stated that there might not be a change for a couple of days.

Anxious Moments.

Some of the most anxious hours of a mother's life are those when the little ones of the household have the croup. There is no other medicine so affective in this terrible malady as Foley's Honey and Tar. It is a household favorite for throat and lung troubles, and as it contains no opiates or other poisons it can be safely given. Sold by H. F. Vortkamp and Wm. Melville.

NOTICE.

All orders for Italian etchings, drawings, water colors and sepias, should be placed by Dec. 5th, at the Sherrick Studio. The studio will be open Sunday's from now on till after the holidays. 38-2t

DEATH WAS NATURAL.

Post Morten Held on the Body of Young Miller.

Coroner Andrew Bice and Dr. E. G. Burton made an investigation of the above case, and the post-mortem held by Dr. Burton revealed the death to have occurred from natural causes, the young man having received an acute attack of conjestion of the lungs.

See Townsend's Saturday Special.

True Greatness.

"That man going down the street is evidently one of your most prominent citizens" remarked the stranger within the gates.

"That's what he is, stranger," rejoined the native. "But how did you guess it?"

"Why, everybody turns around to look after him," said the stranger.

"Yes," continued the native, "there isn't a man in this town he doesn't owe."

Catlin and the Multimillionairess

By Frank H. Street

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They were sweeping along the country road, with the sun just rising over the hills in the east. Birds were flocking among the branches and in the open fields, preparing for early migration south, and mingled with the rich lesser notes were the occasional clear, dominating whistles of the quail and the soaring medley of the bobolink. The road was not bad for a country road, though they often had to swerve to one side or the other to avoid a deep rut or washout, and there were many steep hills where they had to dismount and walk and many places where the descent was too abrupt to trust in brakes.

But the glorious morning compensated for it all, and presently they yielded to its influence, and Catlin's clear, mellow voice broke into a swinging bicycle song, which the other two

AS SHE BENT OVER, THE GIRL ALLOWED HER SUNBONNET TO FALL BACK.

caught up and sent ringing across the fields with the rhythmic fulness of three strong, cultivated voices, whose owners were allowing their hearts and unformulated thoughts to well up unconsciously to their lips and which rose and fell and wavered under the swift motion of the singers. As it finally died away and their speed slackened somewhat one of the riders looked across at Catlin.

"It's a shame to break up our outing like this," he called.

"I know, but Aunt Beulah telegraphed for us to come straight to her country house."

"Your rich aunt?"

"Yes, the one I told you was going to entertain us so lavishly at the end of our trip."

"And introduce you to the multimillionairess?" grinned the other rider.

"Precisely. The multimillionairess is devoted to my aunt, and my aunt is devoted to me. Ergo, we join hands around the triangle."

"But do you really mean that you will marry her offhand?" incredulously.

"I really do, Burke. A multimillionairess means multimillion cares less, and the very fact of my never seeing her or her photograph adds the needed tinge of romance. But, hello," as there came the dull thud of a fall and then a faint call for help, "somebody's dropped from one of those apple trees above the bank. Hurry, fellows!"

As they climbed the bank the call was repeated, sounding very near. A few moments later they found an old man lying down upon his back under the first tree.

"Much hurt?" asked Catlin solicitously.

"N-no, I guess not," slowly and with a long indrawn breath of pain. "Just shook up considerable, I think, without any bones broken. But I expect you fellows will have to help me home."

"Of course." Catlin looked around. A short ladder was leaning against the tree. "That'll do very nicely," he said. "Here, fellows, gather up all these empty sacks and spread them on the ladder to make it more comfortable. Now, sir," when all was ready, "we'll lift you as gently as possible."

"Oh, I don't mind a little pain," the old man answered, grimacing, however, when they lifted him to the ladder. "It's the apples that's worrying me most. I've been sending them off to one firm, at about this time, for forty-nine years. This would make fifty."

"The firm will certainly overlook the slip, then," said Catlin consolingly.

The old man's face creased into a smile. "I know, I know," he replied. "They won't mind, and the money part does not matter. But when a man has done a thing forty-nine years it's hard for him to miss the fiftieth. I don't suppose I ought to have tackled the apples alone. Hello, there comes Gerty. She heard me call, I guess."

A tall girl, with her face hidden by a sunbonnet, was hurrying through the orchard toward them.

"Oh, uncle," she cried, with very much distress in her voice, "it is you! I thought I heard a cry, but was not sure. Is—is it very bad?"

"Not so very, I think," the old man answered. "Just a shakeup. Fortunately these young men were near. They will carry me to the house."

As she bent over him the girl allowed her sunbonnet to fall back. Catlin was directly in front of her, and he caught his breath a little at what the act revealed. The girl was not merely pretty, as he had at first thought, she was beautiful.

An hour later the men were standing out under one of the trees on the lawn.

"I tell you, fellows," Catlin was saying, "it's our duty to stay and pick the apples for the old man. It's too bad for him to miss the fiftieth year."

"Too bad for you to miss another chance of looking into Miss Gerty's eyes, you mean," suggested Burke.

"Perhaps," compositely. "They are certainly worth looking into. But we can pick two days and still have time to reach Aunt Beulah's on the date set. The trout fishing doesn't matter."

"All right, Catlin," Burke laughed. "I don't mind staying. But you had better keep your mind on the multimillionairess and leave me to talk with Miss Gerty."

Two days later they stood under the same tree. The apples had been picked and barreled and shipped. Two bicycles were leaning against the tree, apparently ready for departure. The third was missing. Catlin looked cool and composed; the others were plainly annoyed.

"You can give that letter to Aunt Beulah," Catlin was saying to Burke. "It tells her the multimillionairess business is off. She will look after you all right and give you the good time as scheduled. You might add of your own accord that you left me well."

"I'll tell her you are working on a farm as a common laborer," grumbled Burke. "But, first, I've got a good mind to go in and tell the old man and Miss Gerty just what you are—a wolf in sheep's clothing."

"Oh, no, you haven't," smiled Catlin. "I've known you too long, Burke. You couldn't do a thing like that if you tried. Well, goodby."

Four days later a letter came to Catlin. It read:

My Dear Boy—You're a fool. And after the way I raised you too. But it doesn't so much matter now. Miss Claflin will not come for several weeks. You will get well by that time.

Catlin's letter in answer a week afterward read:

My Dear Aunt—There's no chance whatever of my getting well. I haven't spoken yet, but I begin to see it in her eyes. Gerty is the sweetest girl in the world. I'm stopping with her uncle, Richard Parks—but perhaps Burke told you.

Six days later:

My Dear Boy—You're a prodigy, with a cat's faculty of sticking on your feet. Miss Claflin's name is Gertrude, and her uncle is Richard Parks. She wrote that he had met with some kind of accident and that she would remain with him a few weeks longer.

Catlin's reply, three days later:

My Dear Aunt—I discovered her last name the day before your letter arrived. I asked her, and she said yes. We will be with you the first of the month.

Had It All Planned.

In the early days of lotteries in England to dream a number was always looked on as the luckiest of omens. On one occasion a footman having plainly seen some numbers in a dream spent the whole of twenty years' savings in purchasing two lottery tickets bearing his lucky dream numbers, and when the tickets proved blanks, we learn, "after a few melancholy days he put an end to his life." In his box was found the following plan of the manner in which he should spend the £5,000 prize, which his mistress preserved as a curiosity:

"As soon as I have received the money I will marry Grace Towers, but as she has been cross and coy I will use her as a servant. Every morning she shall get me a mug of strong beer, with toast, nutmeg and sugar in it; then I will sleep until 10, after which I will have a large sack posset. My dinner shall be on table by 1, and never without a good pudding. I will have a stock of wine and brandy laid in. About 5 in the afternoon I will have tarts and jellies and a gallon bowl of punch; at 10 a hot supper of two dishes. If I am in a good humor and Grace behaves herself, she shall sit down with me."

Professors' Salaries.

The official pay of the foreign professor at first glance seems absurdly small in comparison with the pay in American institutions. In Prussia, for example, a full professor receives by law $1,000 (in Berlin $1,200) the first year, to be increased $100 a year every fourth year for twenty years. In addition he receives an allowance for house rent. This is, however, only the fixed part of his income. The honorarium which he receives from the fees of his students will vary greatly, depending on the subject taught and the attractive power of the teacher. Incomes of $5,000 a year and even larger sums are received in the larger universities by certain well known men. Taking into account the fact that the foreign professor has a life place, that his widow and minor children receive pensions, he is better off financially and is far more free from the anxieties which come with modest income than his American brother, whose nominal pay is higher.—Henry S. Pritchett in Atlantic.

Worth of a Principle.

It is indeed a high day in the human story when a great principle reaches its hour. For ages it may have been working silently along the subterranean channels of the world's life. At times it has for a brief moment shown itself above the surface, only to be hunted back again with scoff and insult. But it is already in the blood and will, by and by, mount to the brain's throne. When the appointed time is come the idea creates its man, and the credential of his authority is the echo of his word in every soul.

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Get in the habit of going to the Oak for a good Sunday dinner for 25c. 8-2t

Cause For Thankfulness.

He—Do you believe that love is a disease?

She—Yes; but thank goodness, it is one that we can have more than once.

Fall Trade

So far has been immense and in order to favor our many patrons with best assortments, our buyer made a hurried trip to New York and Boston to contract for another great supply of **WINTER CLOTHING AND SHOES.** These goods bought direct from leading factories **FOR READY CASH** have been coming in. They are now all in stock. All we want is a **LOOK FROM THE PUBLIC** and a rush of customers will be the result.

Cannot do justice by only naming prices but—one purchase, we will speak of here. We closed out a factory's output of overcoats and suits—200 overcoats and 250 suits—all of these regular $15.00 values. We closed the bunch for cash, so we can sell them to you at $9.50, $9.50, $9.50.

The biggest values ever in the city of Lima.

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Roomy, shapely, fashionable and comfortable.

This smart style makes a fair figure look well—a good figure impressive, you should see what it would do for you.

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You'll be surprised to see the value in these $15.00 suits. You may think it a little price for a good suit. It is. But some of the same suits would be marked $20 or more in a swell New York store and be called bargains at that. These suits are good enough for any man. If you want more expensive ones, we have them—and less, too—but look at these first.

Made in all the best cloths, plain colors and fancy patterns. We're showing all the best things in overcoats, too, at **$10, $12, $15, $20 and higher.** Let us show them to you, and remember we have everything in the way of winter furnishings, at fair prices. Come in and have a look, you are welcome whether you wish to buy or look and become acquainted with us.

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REV. C. K. HUNTON

Has Accepted a Call From Salem, Virginia.

Rev. W. L. Hunton, of Chicago, and Rev. Charles K. Hunton, recently of Columbus, have been in this city this week, visiting their parents, Rev. and Mrs. John H. Hunton, of west Spring street.

Rev. C. K. Hunton will leave next Thursday, for Salem, Roanoke county, Virginia, where he has accepted a call. He has many friends in Lima whose best wishes will go with him.

See Townsend's Saturday Special.

From the Grand Stand.

Eva—Football is really dangerous. I knew a fellow who lost his teeth on the gridiron.

Dick—That's nothing. I know several that lost their hearts.

Reason Why.

"Here's a writer," remarked the typewriter boarder, who was perusing a magizine, 'who declares that women make better musicians than men."

"Of course they do," growled the fussy old batchelor. "They make so much more noise."

Palace of Fashion

117 EAST HIGH STREET.

MILLINERY.

You are invited to come in and inspect our new supply of hats that arrived yesterday; our last week's supply has been completely exhausted. We are now showing another new assortment of Trimmed Hats, Fur Hats and Feather Hats; the very latest style for only $5.00. Also the celebrated Gage Hat for $5.00. All our hats are city trimmed and no two hats alike and each hat has an individuality about them.

A Big Saving in Price!

Hats that formerly sold for

$10.00	$6.98
$ 8.00	$4.98
$ 6.00	$3.98
$ 5.00	$2.98

SPECIAL

Children's Napoleons for $1.25 and $1.48.

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GENERAL NEWS

Picked Up Here and There Pertaining

To Happenings In the City South of the Little Swinona.

QUIET WEDDING EVENT

In Which Miss Grace Fegan Became Mrs. John J. Miller.

City Steamer Removed From the Locomotive Works to the Hose House.

The south side hose house is putting on "airs" today, and has already begun to look like a city fire department.

This morning, by order of the board of public safety, Chief Coates had the steamer, which has ben planted at the locomotive works for about two years moved to the hose house on east Kibby street, and the boys out there are so proud that a general window washing was inaugurated at an early hour in order that people passing might see their new pride in all its [illegible] glory.

In a few more weeks south side people can shake hands with and thank the board of public service, certain members of the city council and themselves for an uptodate [illegible] fire department and more water [illegible].

NOW MARRIED.

John J. Miller and Miss Grace Fegan Partners For Life.

Wednesday evening, at the St. [illegible] parsonage, Rev. Fr. F. G. [illegible] solemnized the wedding of John Miller and Miss Grace Fegan. The bride and groom were attended by [illegible] Miller, a brother to the groom, and Miss Anna Fegan, the bride's sister.

The bride is a well known south side young lady, who resided on south [illegible] street, and who, with her sisters have been furnishing both vocal and instrumental music at receptions [illegible].

The groom is an employe of the Lima Locomotive & Machine Co. They will make their home [illegible] [illegible].

A New Fraud.

South Lima people should keep their [illegible] open for these fellows, and [illegible] have been [illegible] operating in this city.

[illegible] several days agent [illegible] in the city and [illegible] country. They have for sale beautifully illustrated books [illegible] small price. It [illegible] many of these books [illegible] according to the [illegible] to take one every [illegible] they will be given a prize, [illegible] or chair. The agent [illegible] makes a sale and at the end of the first month comes around for the second payment when he very seldom goes away with less than two payments in advance. After the second collection the agent is never heard of again.—St. Marys Graphic.

Will Feed the Public.

Ladies of Allen Hive No. 187, L. O. T. M., will serve a chicken dinner at the assembly room of the court house tomorrow, 15 cents.

Personal Mentions.

Miss Carrie Marbaugh, of Spencerville, is a guest of her cousin, Mrs. F. A. Stepleton, of 742 Greenlawn avenue.

At Harrod, Mrs. Dillon is entertaining Miss Ethel Smith, of east Kibby street.

Mrs. Rachel Wickersham and Joseph Lehmkuhl, of south Main street, are being visited by the latter's sister, Miss Mary Lehmkuhl, of St. Marys.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira L. Morris, of west Kibby street, were visited yesterday by his sister, Mrs. L. P. Jackson, of Delphos.

As a result of falling down stairs, Wednesday, Mrs. W. E. Davis, of 625 Linden street, suffers with a severely sprained right limb.

After visiting friends in south Lima the Misses Grace Harpster and Cora Lochhead have returned to Delphos.

Having been transferred from the L. E. & W. shops in this city to Peru, Ind., Ollie Hughes, left this morning for the Hoosier city.

Hiram Johnson has returned to Pasadena, Cal., after a sojourn and visit with his mother, Mrs. Martha Johnson, of east Kibby street. He started back to Lima for a visit several weeks ago, and reached here the day his brother, Thos. Johnson, was killed at Bellaire.

Lots of turkeys, ducks and chickens at the Oak for the raffle Saturday night. 3&21

AKERMAN TOO FAST

Yemagata, the Jiu Jitsu Wrestler Could Not Throw Him.

ANOTHER MATCH IS ON.

The Jap Will Attempt to Win a Fall in Thirty Minutes.

Al. Akerman, the clever local wrestler, who has never yet met defeat at the hands of any one in his class, at catch-as-catch-can wrestling, met the famous Yamagata, the Japanese jiu jitsu man at Moore's garden theatre and proved to the Jap that he knows a thing or two about the wrestling game.

The Jap took Akerman on for a handicap match, agreeing to throw the local man, or any other, in fifteen minutes, jiu jitsu style, which consists chiefly of strangling the opponent or getting him in a position where he must either give up the contest or suffer a broken bone. Akerman's phenomenal strength and unequaled agility proved too much for the little brown man, however, and although the Jap was after him every second Lima boy would either break every hold with main strength or would wiggle out like an eel. The contest was fast and furious all the way and the audience in attendance was entertained with the most interesting wrestling match that has yet been witnessed in this city.

At the close, the Jap confessed that he had underestimated Akerman and accepted a challenge from Akerman under the terms of which the latter will endeavor to stay on the mat thirty minutes without being thrown or strangled out, the loser to forfeit $25. This match will be pulled off at Moore's tonight.

Townsend Wholesales OYSTERS.

DIME SOCIETY SUPPER.

Tomorrow evening from 5 to 8, occurs the supper which is served annually by the ladies of St. Paul's Lutheran church—the same this year, being under the auspicies of the Dime Society of that congregation. The affair will be given in the room formerly occupied by the Buckeye Printing Co., Hotel Norval building, and the public generally is cordially invited. Tickets 25 cents.

LIMA GIRL

Undergoes an Operation in a Toledo Hospital.

Mrs. [illegible] E. Duggan and son, conductor Charles Duggan, of the south side, returned today from Toledo, where the former's daughter, Miss Hattie Duggan, [illegible] operation in St. Vincent's hospital. The patient was [illegible] the road to recovery when [illegible] departed for [illegible].

Miss Duggan has been at the St. Vincent hospital [illegible] taking training to be [illegible] professional nurse.

CASTORIA.
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

STEEL PLANT TO OPEN.

Pittsburg, Nov. 21.—Announcement has been made that operations will begin at the Monongahela plant of the American Sheet & Tin Co., a subsidiary of the U. S. Steel corporation, on Monday, December 11th. The plant which is located on the south side has been idle for several months and the resumption will afford employment to a large number of men.

See what Townsend has.

BECOMING COAT FOR CHILDREN.

Pattern No. 2809. All seams allowed.

An excellent design for a long coat is here illustrated in motor-red broadcloth and velvet of a darker shade. The wide circular cape emphasizes the breadth of the shoulders. For general wear, such coats are very serviceable, and cheviot, melton, kersey, covert, cravenette and all the seasonable cloakings are recommended.

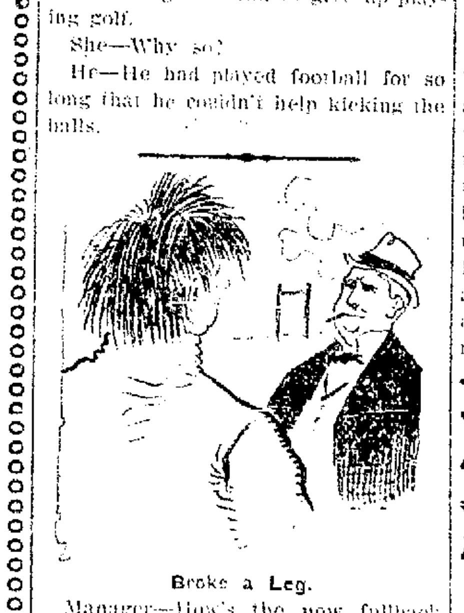
The pattern is in 6 sizes—2 to 7 years. For a child of 3 years the coat as represented, requires 2½ yards of material 44 inches wide with ½ yard of velvet 20 inches wide; or, of one material, 5 yards 20 inches wide, 3⅛ yards 36 inches wide, 2⅝ yards 44 in. wide, or 2 yards 54 inches wide.

Force of Habit.

He—Fitzgerald had to give up playing golf.

She—Why so?

He—He had played football for so long that he couldn't help kicking the balls.



Broke a Leg.

Manager—How's the new fullback coming along?

Captain of the Football Team—Oh, he can't kick.

Choice of Evils.

Jack—So you are engaged to Miss Gotrox, I understand.

Tom—You have said it.

Jack—Well, I hardly know whether to congratulate you or not. She is very exacting, I hear, and if you marry her you will have to give up drinking and smoking.

Tom—Oh, well, it might be worse. If I don't marry her I'll probably have to give up eating.

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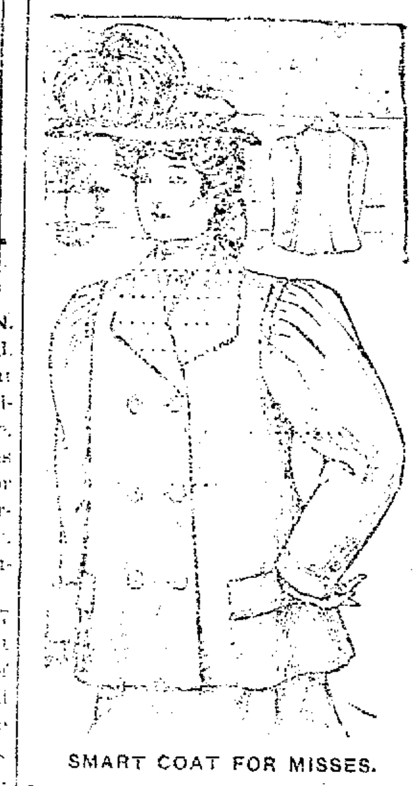


SMART COAT FOR MISSES.

Pattern No. 2898. All seams allowed.

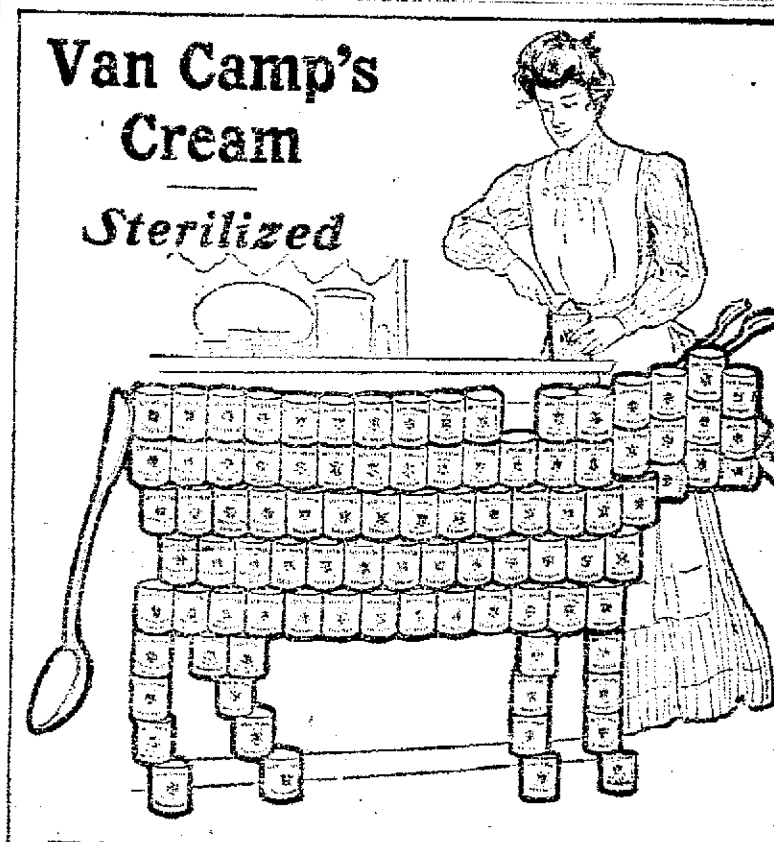
This jaunty coat is one of the season's most popular modes, and it may be made to match or to harmonize with the skirt with which it is to be worn. The coat is double-breasted; the fronts are loose, while the back is semi-fitted. Covert, tweed, serge, cravenette and all fashionable coatings will make up satisfactorily from this design, and stitching gives the smart tailor effect.

The pattern is in five sizes, 13 to 17 years. For a miss of 15 years, the coat requires 3⅞ yards of material 27 inches wide, 2⅝ yards 44 inches wide, 2¼ yards 50 inches wide, or 1⅞ yards 54 inches wide.

Traveling salesmen will be interested to learn that a majority of the railroads of Michigan have withdrawn from the Central Passenger Association and will restore the old style mileage book on November 30th. The present mileage book, with its requirement of a visit to the ticket office to have the mileage pulled before boarding the train, is very unpopular among traveling men and for obvious reasons. It is said that Senator Austin owes his defeat in the Toledo district for offering to secure legislation in Ohio two years ago, compelling the railroads to accept mileage on trains. He did not introduce the promised bill and 1,200 U. C. T. men at Toledo voted against his re-election almost to a man.

Van Camp's Cream

Sterilized



The New Way to Milk.

HERE'S the cook about to milk the "Van Camp Tin Cow."

You see she uses the can-opener—that's the new way to milk.

For the Van Camp Tin Cow, the Cow she milks this new way, stands ever ready in your own pantry.

This cow will give delicious double-thick Cream, containing 12% Butter-fat, or rich "Cereal" Cream containing 8% Butter-fat, or Superfine Milk with 4% Butter-fat just as and whenever you wish it.

For her Milk has had the water taken out to save freight and delivery charges. It is rich in Butter-fat—the Soul of Milk—and you make up the quality Milk or Cream you want by simply replacing the water we took out, according to the directions on each tin.

And the Milk and Cream the cow gives, having been scientifically sterilized, is absolutely germ free.

Van Camp's Sterilized Cream is a healthful, easily digested Milk, containing the maximum amount of nourishment.

It is free from Sugar, Starch, thickening, Chemical Preservatives or yellow coloring.

That's why Van Camp's Cream will keep for years in its air-tight tin, and for days when open in the refrigerator.

No waste with Van Camp Cream or Milk, for you open only one pint at a time as you need it, and it keeps, when open, for days.

Don't risk your health and that of your family with suspicious milk which may have come from filthy cow barns, unclean milk-hands, germ infected pails and strainers when you can have the delicious "Almond" tasting Van Camp Cream and Milk which has been thoroughly sterilized before being sealed in the air tight tins.

Try one tin now—it will cost you only 10 cents at your grocers.

Then if you want to still further save money, buy a case of 48 tins for $4.50 (or 9 cents a tin).

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Men's all-wool Suits $5 to $10.

Men's all-wool Overcoats, extra long, $7.50 to $13.50.

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Call and examine, prices reasonable.

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PIANOS TO RENT.

CHURCH DEDICATION.

Dedication of the new U. B. church of Elida, will begin next Wednesday evening, with sermon by Rev. A. E. Davis, of Lima, and congregational meeting; Thursday evening, Thanksgiving service, sermon by Rev. Shreve, pastor of M. E. church; Friday evening, sermon by Rev. J. W. Arnold; Sunday, Dec. 3, at 10 o'clock, sermon and dedication by Bishop G. M. Mathews, of Chicago, Ills.; Sunday afternoon fraternal services; Sunday evening sermon by Bishop G. M. Mathews.

Big raffle Saturday night at the Oak. Turkeys, ducks and chickens on the big wheel, 4 chances 10c. 8-25

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WEATHER.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 24.—For Ohio: Fair tonight and Saturday, except rain in northern portion: colder.

THE REASON LEAKS.

The Wapak News in yesterday's issue places the blame for the failure of the republicans of this senatorial district to place candidates in the field against Hon. T. M. Berry, and Hon. Wm. Denman, the democratic nominees, on Postmaster Thompson, of Defiance. The News designates it as a Foraker trick, and describes it in the following words:

"The failure of the republicans in this senatorial district to nominate candidates against Senators Berry and Denman, the democratic candidates, was one of the surprises of the last campaign. This district was lost to the democrats last year and most republicans thought it would be easy to capture two members in the upper branch of the legislature.

"The brewers and liquor league were especially interested in the defeat of Senator Berry, whose attitude on the temperance question was very distasteful to them and they were anxious to see him defeated either in the democratic convention or by a republican. Early last spring, prior to the holding of the democratic convention, the ubiquitous Joe Miller, representative of the liquor league, went skating through the district endeavoring to find some democrat mean enough to undertake to land Berry's job. Joe failed, and he next turned his attention to the republican end of the game.

"He waited for a call of the republican senatorial convention and at last accounts he was still waiting. The call never came and the convention was not held.

"The story has just leaked out that Joe was very angry and carried his grievance to Senator Dick and Governor Herrick, who were running the liveliest kind of a campaign at the expense of his employers, the brewers and liquor people. Both Dick and Herrick joined Miller in sending up a howl. The time limit for making the nomination had expired, but some republican was guilty of either treason or gross negligence and they concluded to learn who it was. The republican chairmen in each of the seven counties were hauled on the carpet and asked for an explanation. It was finally learned that C. J. Thompson, postmaster, of Defiance, was chairman of the district committee, and as it was his duty to issue the call he was asked for an explanation.

"The story goes that Thompson set up only one defense, simply that he had forgotten all about it until it was too late.

"The story was kept quiet and the impression given out that nominations were not made because no hope of carrying the district was entertained by the republican committee. This the public were asked to swallow, but many doubted its genuineness owing to the vote last year.

"It is now known that had the result of the election been different, and particularly had Herrick carried the district, Postmaster Thompson would have [illegible] something drop in his vicinity. Fortunate for him it is that Herrick was defeated.

"Dick [illegible] him spotted as one of Senator Foraker's most ardent supporters and [illegible] the failure to issue the convention call was simply a part of the Foraker plan to dump Herrick. No [illegible] entertains this notion [illegible] Dick now has troubles of his own to keep him busy. It is quite probable that he will not find time to [illegible] at the Defiance postmaster, although when the latter comes up [illegible] another appointment as postmaster he will take no [illegible] in getting back with Congressman [illegible] who represents the [illegible] opposed [illegible] Thompson [illegible] the large [illegible] of their own [illegible] It might be well to add that Thompson's [illegible] he does not [illegible] appointment [illegible] merely as an evidence that he was not ready to [illegible] kicks without kicking back."

FROM THE COMMONER.

M. Witte may be endeavoring to [illegible] with his American press [illegible].

[illegible] Bonney's [illegible] McCurdy [illegible] family?

M. Witte does not deserve all of the credit. Togo and his colleagues deserve a share.

The czar might have avoided a whole lot of trouble by realizing his duty from the start.

The future of the czar's son has brightened considerably during the past two or three weeks.

Senator Dolliver's reference to "oily universities" has called forth a lot of vinegary retorts.

The old Quay machine refused to work properly with the Penrose hand on the steering apparatus.

The next eminent financier who begins talking about "national honor" is going to meet with a ha ha reception.

In organization there is strength. And now is the time for democrats to be strengthening their organization.

The oratory of Chauncey M. Depew has been conspicuous by its absence from the campaign in Greater New York.

For the next few weeks Senator Foraker will spend his leisure time in hammering the dents out of his vindication.

This little flurry among the grafters isn't a marker to the one that will strike them when the people get a real chance at them.

The czar has revised his "stand pat" views. The tariff barons of the United States were never notorious for being able to read signs.

That gleeful chuckling from the far east is only Thomas W. Lawson taking a few moments off to look over the field.

The Oil City Blizzard on Wednesday celebrated its forty-eighth anniversary by pointing with pride to fact that its publishers are still out of jail.

WHAT TOWNSEND HAS.

Lobsters Mallard Ducks Quails
Rabbits Frog Legs
Chickens Tenderloins
N. Y. Counts Blue Points Clams
Brookfield Farm Sausage.

Spiced Herring Rolled Mapse
Mackerel Russian Sardines Bloaters
Holland Herring Brook Trout.

Head Lettuce Leaf Lettuce
Radishes Green Peas Mushrooms
Watercress Oyster Plant
Cucumbers Endive Cauliflower
Squash Green Peppers.
Celery Spinach Parsley
Brussel Sprouts Green Onions
Carrots Sweet Potatoes Rutabagoes
Wax Beans Green Beans
Beets Red Cabbage Parsnips

Kumquats Limes
Takayo Grapes Malaga's Grapes
Dates Grape Fruit Figs
Cranberries Oranges Bananas
Fancy Apples Pears

Imported Chestnuts English Walnuts
Almonds Pecans Brazils
Filberts Cocoanuts
Mixed Nuts Peanuts Hickory Nuts
All kinds of fancy cheese.

The editor of the Foraker organ in this city is showing a heavenly burst of speed in his hurry to be good, and to advise economy in public expenditures. Indeed his alacrity is about equal to that shown by the gang leaders who for years robbed the city of Philadelphia, all of whom want to be good since the late election. All the anti-reform toxin that has permeated his system for years, left him the day after election.

All interested in the future of the democratic party in Ohio are sincere in their wish that Senator Dick will be able to continue at the head of the republican state organization.

PREPARING FOR REFORMS.

There will be a meeting of the democratic members of the legislature in Columbus next Tuesday. The call was made by Hon. A. H. Judy, of Darke county, Ohio, who said concerning [illegible]:

"I conferred with the party leaders [illegible] to the matter before I sent out the call and the idea met with universal favor. Mr. Garber was consulted [illegible] though it would be a good [illegible]. It is not to take action in [illegible] to organization of the legislature, however. That will come up in its proper time. What is proposed at next Tuesday's meeting is to take counsel as to what we want to do and what we are pledged to do in our platform and how it is to be done. We must not only do what we said we would do in the platform, but take the initiative in it and not let the republicans take the one given by the people his month and forestall us."

MAY HAVE BOTH.

Developments indicate that the democrats may yet be able to organize the lower as well as the upper house of the new general assembly.

The face of the returns show the republicans have elected 62 and the democrats 59 members of the house, but three of the republicans are elected by such narrow margins that a contest is more than probable.

BIDS ARE RECEIVED

For Construction of the Proposed Contagion Hospital.

BELOW THE ESTIMATE

And Within the Appropriation Are Three of the Proposals.

At noon today, City Clerk O. J. Rose and the board of public service received and opened bids for the construction of the proposed contagion hospital which, it has been decided, is to be established at the intersection of Robb avenue with the Sugar Creek road, in the extreme northeast section of the city.

Seven bids were received, five of them for the entire work on the proposed institution, including the plumbing and heating system, one for the plumbing only and one for the plumbing and furnace needed and referred to in the plans and specifications. The bids were as follows:

A. O. McKinney	$5,233.50
Chas. Kahlies	5,464.00
J. H. Walters	4,906.53
F. W. Wood	4,509.60
Carl Mathias & J. H. Pletcher	4,805.00
Cowles and Wood, plumbing only	530.00
Theo. G. Scheid on plumbing and furnace	832.00

The appropriation made for the construction of the proposed hospital is five thousand dollars, consequently three of the bids received are within the appropriation authorized. There is also an appropriation of six hundred dollars for the purchase of land and one thousand dollars for the equipment of the institution after it is built.

The board of public service has not yet awarded the contract for the building.

DISCOURAGING NEWS

Received From the Bedside of Dr. R. J. Thomson Today.

ALL HOPE ABANDONED

And the Death of the Beloved Pastor Momentarily Expected.

Information received today, from Clifton Springs, N. Y., where Rev. R. J. Thomson, of this city has been a patient during the past month, is very discouraging to the friends and family of the popular former pastor of Market street Presbyterian church. The information is to the effect that Dr. Thomson has grown so weak that there is absolutely no hope entertained by those at his bedside that he will again rally and the announcement of his death may reach the city even before this reaches the readers of the Times-Democrat.

Mrs. Thomson, wife of the invalid pastor, was summoned to Clifton Springs several days ago and she found her husband's condition such that it was deemed inadvisable to attempt to bring the other members of the family to the patient's bedside, it being regarded by the attending physicians, as almost certain that death would ensue before their arrival.

NOTICE.

All members of the Royal Neighbors are expected to be in attendance at our regular session, Saturday evening, Nov. 25th. Business of importance. Beneficiary members will please take notice. By order of RECORDER.

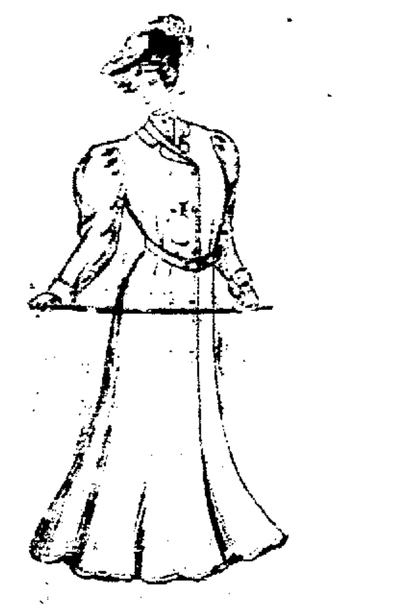
Not a cent wanted unless you are cured. If you are sick and ailing, take Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. A great blessing to the human family. Makes you well—keeps you well. 35c, tea or tablets. H. F. Vortkamp

WE ARE AGENTS FOR THE BEST PAPER PATTERNS MADE. "THE "STANDARD PATTERNS."

Of Even More Importance

SPECIAL VALUES IN BLUE AND WHITE GRANITE IN OUR ECONOMY BASEMENT.

Than the price you pay for an article is the quality you get for a given price. Reliable quality and the utmost desirability of material, are features of every article we offer. These for Saturday's buying:



BECOMING STYLES.

No matter how very particular you may be in matters of dress, a pleasing surprise awaits you in our cloak department.

We are showing garments that have just the right style, tone and that becoming neatness so essential to the well dressed woman's appearance.

Ladies' coats that are right in style, quality and price at $5, $6.85, $8.85, $10, $11.50, $12.50 up to $25 each.

Children's coats at $1.98, $2.50, $2.75, $3.25, $3.75, $4.50 up to $12.50 each.

Raincoats — Some special bargains to offer you for Saturday's buying.

SILK PETTICOATS.

The silk petticoats we are selling at $5.00 are the best values ever offered in this city by anyone. Those who have seen them tell us so.

A STOCK OF STOCKINGS

That any store may be proud of. They'll wear; they'll wash. They will give you every satisfaction that a good stocking can give, and they cost you only a very little more than the poor trashy kind. It is wise economy to buy hosiery of this kind.

Ladies' ribbed hose, a good wearing stocking, 15c a pair.

Extra good fleece lined hose for ladies at 25c a pair.

Ladies' woolen hose in black, blue mixed and gray mixed that are among the satisfaction giving kind, 25c a pair.

Children's hose at 10c, 15c, 19c and 25c a pair that can not be beat in quality for the price asked.

Men's cotton and woolen socks that are right in quality and right in price.

UNDERWEAR.

Reliable goods at a moderate price is responsible for the big business we do in this department.

Men's extra heavy fleece lined underwear, worth 50c a garment. Special value at 39c a garment.

Men's wool underwear, all sizes. Can not be matched in the city at this price.

$1.00 per garment.

Ladies' fleece lined vests, nicely trimmed, full size. The best garment in the city for 25c. Opened or closed pants to match at the same price.

Extra size vest and pants at 25c each.

In children's underwear our offerings are second to none. We call special attention to our union suits for misses and boys at 50c a suit. They will please you.

The Feltz Bros. Dry Goods Co.,

1st Door South of Court House.

THE IDLER.

Lima College has a distinguished student in the person of Hon. D. J. Scherr, the republican representative-elect from Madison county.

Mr. Scherr first graduated from the institution of learning at Ada. He then went to Wittenberg College at Springfield, one of the foremost in Ohio, and graduated with distinction. He is now a matriculated student at Lima College from which institution he is desirous of securing a degree.

Mr. Scherr will remain here until the legislature convenes, and after it closes will return to Lima to finish the course. His determination to get the best there is full proof that Mr. Scherr has high ideals. It is just such gentlemen as Mr. Scheer the country is now in need of.

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"Heinie" Steinle, the popular chef, who recently, went to Wheeling, W. Va., to accept a position in a leading hotel and restaurant, has resigned and returns to dear old Lima to take charge of his former duties at the White Caafe.

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The owner of Dan Patch has bought the celebrated stallion Cresceus from George Ketcham for $21,000.

HEMORRHAGE

Resulted in the Death of Mrs. Anna McDougall.

Mrs. Anna McDougall, wife of Ralph McDougall, of 434 north Pine street, died at 10:30 o'clock this morning, death resulting from hemorrhages. The deceased was aged 39 years, 2 months and 23 days, and had been ill three months. She is survived by her husband but leaves no children. Funeral arrangements have not yet been made.

He Could Hardly Get Up.

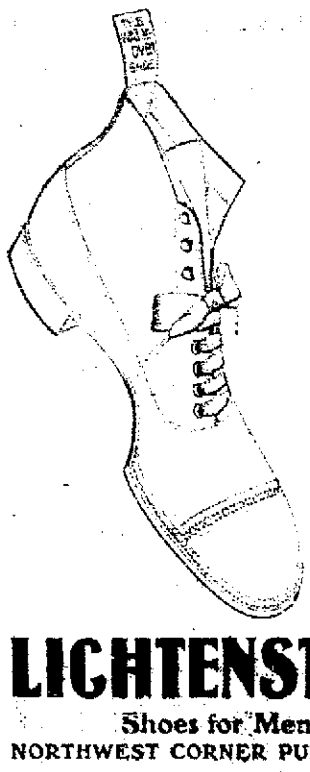
"This is to certify that I have taken two bottles of Foley's Kidney Cure and it has helped me more than any other medicine," writes P. H. Duffy, of Ashley, Ill. "I tried many advertised remedies, but none of them gave me any relief. My druggist recommended Foley's Kidney Cure and it has cured me. Before commencing its use I was in such a shape that I could hardly get up when once down." Sold by H. F. Vortkamp and Wm. Melville.

During the Spat.

Husband (angrily)—I don't see why I ever married you. You are a fool.

Wife (calmly)—Undoubtedly. Otherwise I would have refused you.

A Brand New Stock



Of men's women's and children's shoes **JUST RECENTLY BOUGHT** by our buyer, who has just returned from Boston and Lynn, is now open for inspection. It embraces every variety of of footwear, from the men's work shoes at $1.00 to the celebrated patent colt and gun metal calf shoes of the Geo. E. Keith factory, at $3.50 and $4.00 a pair, and from the vici kid ladies' shoes at $1.00 to the celebrated "Imperial" make, cushion sole, hand turned ladies' shoes at $3 and $3.50 a pair.

LICHTENSTADER BROS.,

Shoes for Men, Women, Boys and Girls.
NORTHWEST CORNER PUBLIC SQUARE.

PERSONAL MENTION

Bert McPheron, of Lima, is visiting friends in St. Marys. He will leave Sunday for the south where he has accepted a position.

Mrs. Stephen Kaliner and daughter, of south Pine street, spent Wednesday with Mrs. Buchanan, of Elida.

You can apply ManZan inside, right where the pain is. It is put up in collapsible tubes with nozzle attachment for introducing it. ManZan stops pain instantly and cures all kinds of blind, bleeding, itching and protruding piles. Sold by H. F. Vortkamp.

NOTICE.

All orders for Italian etchings, drawings, water colors and sepias, should be placed by Dec. 5th, at the Sherrick Studio. The studio will be open Sunday's from now on till after the holidays. 38-2t

Beautify your complexion with little cost. If you wish a smooth, clear, creamlike complexion, rosy cheeks, laughing eyes, take Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea, greatest beautifier known. 35 cents. H. F. Vortkamp.

Try a 25c meal at the Oak Sunday. 38-2t

WANTS, FOR RENT, LOST, FOR SALE, ETC.

*Advertisements occupying four lines or less will be inserted in this column for 25 cents for one insertion, or 50 cents for three insertions, the order to be accompanied by the cash.

WANTED—A good, steady and sober plumber, one with 3 to 5 years experience on plumbing. Steady employment to the right party. Address postoffice box No. 268, Fort Wayne, Ind. 33-tf

WANTED—A few refined, energetic ladies can find steady and profitable employment by calling at or addressing rooms No. 226-7-8, Holland block. 33-6t*-e-o-d

WANTED—Girls to learn the cigar making trade. Will be well paid while learning. After the trade has been acquired can earn from $7.00 to $12.00 per week, depending entirely on speed of worker. Apply at once at the office of the Deisel-Wemmer Co., Lima, O. 59-b

WANTED—Ladies to take orders for silks and dress goods; sample book worth $2.00 free. Name responsible references. Write for particulars. Scott Novelty Co., 99 Franklin St., New York.

WANTED—Carpenters. Apply F. Gould at D. T. and I. East Lima station.

WANTED—Boys to learn cigar making; evenings or all day. Special plain taught; $15. Call at Crown Cigar factory, south Main. [illegible] Ferman.

WANTED—Girl at 416 [illegible] street. H. J. O'Neil's restaurant.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Restaurant. A [illegible] class short order restaurant, cigar stand and confectionery [illegible] Ada, O., for sale at a bargain. Place did business of $8000 during past year. Address L. B. 414 Tiffin, Ohio.

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—6 room house on [illegible] street. N. L. Michael.

FOR RENT—Modern houses in the west end—$200 to $300 per [illegible] Houses on Metcalf, Pierce, North, Hohl, Kibby, Atlantic, E. High, Scott, Reese, First and others [illegible] for $6, $7, $8, $10, per month. [illegible] modern house west North [illegible] $10 per month. FOYE, [illegible] square.

THE STAGE.

In "Queen of the White Slaves" which is the attraction at the Faurot opera house tomorrow afternoon and evening the management of that popular theatre has one of the best announced melodramatic hits of the season. The plot is based on the attempt of the "Highbinders" of San Francisco, to abduct a beautiful white girl and sell her to a Chinese Mandarin. This plan is all but accomplished when the girl is rescued from this horrible fate by a young detective.

It is difficult to cure a cough free yourself from the discomforts of a cold unless you move the bowels. Bee's Laxative Honey and Tar acts on the bowels and drives all cold out of the system. For croup whooping cough, colds and all lung and bronchial affections, no remedy is equal to the original Bee's Laxative Honey and Tar. A liquid cold cure. Sold by H. F. Vortkamp.

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JOINT SESSION

Held by Local Branches of the C. K. & O.

Attended By Almost a Full Representation of the Membership.

THE LIST OF GUESTS

Included State Officers Anthony and Secretary Wittrock.

Banquet Was Followed by a Program of Oratory and Music.

The joint meeting and banquet held in this city last night by the two local branches of the Catholic Knights of Ohio, St. Rose branch No. 23 and branch No. 82, of the south side, was one of the most successful and enjoyable lodge events that has been held in Lima Lima for some time. The session was held in the Donze hall and the local members had as their guests, their State President C. J. Anthony of Cleveland, and State Secretary C. B. Wittrock, of Cincinnati.

Almost the entire membership of the two branches was represented when the knights marched from their respective society halls to the Donze block where, in the spacious lodge room, they found three long rows of tables already spread in waiting for them. At one end of the room, and standing crosswise of the other tables, was a smaller table which had been prettily decorated with fern and pink and white carnations. At this table were seated the efficient toastmaster of the evening, Mr. W. H. Mattingly, the two visiting state officers, President John N. Klatte, of branch No. 23, and President L. J. Cox, of branch No. 82.

The menu of the banquet was thoroughly fitting to the occasion and after the members and their guests had enjoyed the feast that had been prepared for the inner man the first course of the intellectual feast was served in a very clever and eloquent manner by Toastmaster Mattingly, who, at the conclusion of his address, introduced State President Anthony. Mr. Anthony proved himself a pleasing speaker interpersing his address with enough wit and good stories to enliven the session admirably.

State Secretary Wittrock, who was introduced later in the evening, also entertained the banqueters in a very able manner. His address was an instructive one, a clear and comprehensive explanation of the workings and advantages of the order being given to an interested and appreciative audience. He advised the local members of the order to hold more of the social functions and to have their wives, sons, daughters and sweethearts attend and enjoy the events with them.

The other addresses of the evening proved that the program had been well prepared, the speakers being Messrs. James J. Weadock, Dr. E. G. Weadock, John O'Connor, George Feltz, John N. Klatte and L. J. Cox. The program of addresses was interpersed with vocal music which was rendered by Messrs. Peter Laughlin, J. W. Beall and John Malloy and instrumental by Michael Keller. The session closed with the entire audience singing a song of the order, "Arise Brethren, Sing."

The two local branches of the Catholic Knights of Ohio have a combined membership of upwards of two hundred representative Catholic citizens and the enthusiasm that was instilled in the local branches by the signal success of last night's joint session promises to double the local membership in the order within the next few months.

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Everything you eat will taste good and do good if you take Ring's Dyspepsia Tablets. Sold by H. F. Vortkamp.

Backache is never known to those persons who take an occasional dose of Pineules. The value of the resin obtained from the Pine tree has long been recognized in the treatment of diseases of the bladder and kidneys One dose of Pineules will give relief and one bottle will cure. Sold by H F. Vortkamp.

POLO GAME

At Majestic, Friday night, Nov. 25th Marion, O., vs. Lima. Game called at 8 p. m. Admission, balcony 25c reduced price to skaters. 34-5t

NOTICE!
We make covered buttons in any size—orders promptly filled.
Agents for Butterick Patterns and Publication.

CARTER & CARROLL,

NOTICE!
The "Du Barry" Corsets are fast becoming "celebrated" in Lima. 63 Lima women now wear Du Barry corsets. Price $3, $4, $5, $6.

THANKSGIVING SALE OF WOMEN'S STYLISH COATS.

AT $5.00—Women's 48 inch long coats Empire or fitted styles, all wool heavy cheviot in black and navy; also wide range of fancy materials in several of the best styles shown this season. We challenge any establishment in this city to show their equal for less than $7.50.

AT $7.75—At this price we show about twelve styles, Empire, full loose back, half fitted and the new paddock style, in a wide range of fancy materials; also "Washington Mills" kersey in black and navy, splendidly tailored and trimmed with the new braids and velvet. You will not see their equal for less than $10.00.

AT $10.00—We show a magnificent assortment of new models Empire, tight fitting or loose effect cheviots, kerseys and the new mixtures, half satin lined.

AT $12.50—The extensive range of beautiful styles at this price includes every style of merit brought out this season, many are copies of the very high price models—cloth are kersey, fancy mixtures and broadcloth.

AT $15.00 and up we are showing dozens of handsome styles that are exclusive with us, and can not be seen elsewhere. This range of style represents the very best that has been brought out by the leading designers.

AT $18.50—Empire coats of fine quality kersey and stylish fancies, strictly man-tailored, collarless, with inlaid velvet, body and sleeves lined with best satin.

AT $22.50—Tight fitting kersey coats, 50 inches long, man-tailored, velvet collar, turn back cuff; sleeve and body lined with best satin.

AT $25.00—Tight fitting 50 inch coats of tan, English covert and fancy suitings, splendidly tailored, full lined with best quality satin, many styles.

Children's Winter Coat Sale. Manufacturer's Stock of Fine Coats at 50c on the Dollar.

$2.25—Children's long coats of heavy wool cheviot in gray, large sleeve with cuff, loose back with belt—sizes 6 to 14 years—the greatest values ever offered in this city, worth $5.00.

$3.95—Children's long coats of heavy wool zebiline in red, green, brown, navy; loose back, belt, large sleeve, trimmed with velvet and tailored straps ornamented with large fancy buttons. Heavy, warm and stylish, sizes 6 to 14 years, worth $7.50.

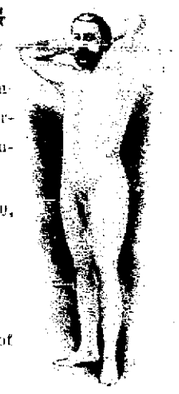
$4.95—Children's long coats of heavy all wool fancy suitings, like picture, green, red, navy and brown effects, high storm collar, large sleeve, loose with belt, splendidly tailored; sizes 6 to 14 years; better than any value we have previously offered at $8.50.

$6.75—Children's long coat of all wool cheviot in navy only. Emblem sleeve, high storm collar, loose back with belt. The kind you are asked $8.75 for in other stores. Sizes 6 to 14 years.

$7.50—Children's long coat of very best quality Washington Mills kersey in red, navy, green, castor; high storm collar, large sleeve, full loose back with belt and large buckle. Sizes 6 to 14 years. You will agree with us that this value is not equaled in this city for less than $10.

$8.75—At this price we offer at least a dozen distinct styles, Russian military styles, with or without capes; smart exclusive styles, material the very best obtainable. Sizes 6 to 14 years, worth to $15.

THE PERFECT FITTING MUNSING UNION SUITS.



The best made, best fitting, most comfortable, durable and satisfactory underwear at popular prices that modern machinery and skilled labor can produce.

Ladies' Suits at $1, $1.50, $2, $2.50, $2.75 and $3.

Children's Suits at 50c, 75c and $1.

Men's Suits, $1.50, $2.50 and $3.

Buy today while our assortment of sizes is complete.

Lima's Best Underwear Values.

AT 25c. "Superba" Underwear which is without question the best underwear ever offered at the price. Vest and pants "Superba" underwear for women, all sizes, ecru, Jersey ribbed heavy fleeced. Inferior quality is being sold in other stores at 35c and 50c.

AT 50c. Women's "Luzerne" wool pants in medium and small sizes, regular price is $1.00.

AT 89c. Women's grey wool ribbed underwear, all sizes, vests and pants, regular $1.00 quality.

AT 45c. Women's union suits, ecru, ribbed fleeced lined, all sizes. Our regular price 50 cents.

AT 45c. Men's "Jeager" fleeced lined, heavy quality underwear, all sizes, shirts and drawers, our regular price is 50 cents.

AT 45c. Men's ribbed underwear, fleeced lined, light brown in color, all sizes shirts and drawers. Our regular price is 75 cents.

AT 25c. Children's union suits, grey, fleeced lined, ribbed.
AT 50c. Children's "Munsing" union suits, grey, fleeced lined, ribbed.
AT 50c. Children's tights or pants, black Jersey ribbed.
AT 50c. Children's "Munsing" vest and pants, all sizes, wool ribbed.
AT 25c. Boys shirts and drawers, "Jeager" heavy fleeced.
AT HALF PRICE. Odd lots boys and girls underwear, shirts, drawers and pants in all sizes.

Mexican Hand Drawn Linen.

These beautiful linens come to us direct from the cities of Auguascarientes and Encornacion, Mexico. The showing includes handkerchiefs, turnover collars, slocks, shirt waist patterns, infant's dress patterns, infants caps, bands of insertion, lunch cloths, tray cloths, plate doilies, tumbler doilies, center pieces, stand covers, pillow tops, side board and dresser scarfs, etc. These beautiful linens coming to us as they do direct from the makers in Mexico, places us in a position to offer them at about 1-3 less than you would be able to secure them in stores obliged to purchase them from the jobbing houses.

Standard Toilet Articles Underpriced for Saturday.

FREE. With each purchase amounting to 50c or more in toilet articles, a ten cent envelope of Colgate's sachet powder.

10c size Sweetheart toilet soap. **Saturday's sale price 4c.**
25c size Cuticura Medicinal toilet soap. **Saturday's sale price 19c.**
8c size Colgate's palm toilet soap. **Saturday's sale price 5c.**
10c size Colgate's White Clematis toilet soap. **Saturday's sale price 8c or three cakes for 21 cents.**
15c size Colgate's Viadora toilet soap. **Saturday's sale price 10c.**
15c size Colgate's Rosadora toilet soap. **Saturday's sale price 10c or three for 25c.**
10c size Colgate's shaving soap. **Saturday's sale price 5c.**
25c size Colgate's shaving stick. **Saturday's sale price 19c.**
25c size Colgate's Dactylis toilet soap. **Saturday's sale price 20c.**
25c size Colgate's La France rose toilet soaps. **Saturday's sale price 20c.**
25c size Colgate's Monad toilet soap. **Saturday's sale price 20c.**
Colgate's cashmere bouquet toilet soap. **Saturday's sale price 15c.**
25c size Colgate's Violet Talcum powder. **Saturday's sale price 15c.**
25c size Colgate's Cashmere bouquet talcum powder. **Saturday's sale price 15c.**
25c size Colgate's antiseptic dental powder. Patent metal box. **Saturday's sale price 15 cents.**
35c size Colgate's extra strength sachet powder. **Saturday's sale price 25c.**
Colgate's perfumes in all odors, sells regular at 50c and 75c the ounce. **Saturday's sale price 35 cents.**
35c size Colgate's perfume glass stopper bottle, all odors. **Saturday's sale price 23c.**
50c size Colgate's perfume, glass stopper, all odors. **Saturday's sale price 42c.**
75c size Colgate's perfume glass stopper bottle, all odors. **Saturday's sale price 69c.**
25c size box young people's perfume, assorted odors. **Saturday's sale price 25c.**
15c size box young people's perfume, assorted odors. **Saturday's sale price 10c.**
35c size Colgate's La France rose or violet toilet water. **Saturday's sale price 23c.**
50c size Colgate's La France rose or violet toilet water. **Saturday's sale price 39c.**
75c size Colgate's La France rose or violet toilet water. **Saturday's sale price 59cc.**
$1.00 size Colgate's La France rose or violet toilet water. **Saturday's sale price 79c.**

Thanksgiving Sale Gloves.

Centemeri kid gloves, black and all new colors, three clasp, embroidered backs. **Saturday's sale price $1.50.**
Beatrice kid gloves, two clasp, black and all the new colors, fully guaranteed. **Saturday's sale price $1.00.**
Centemeri undressed kid gloves in tan and brown shades, sizes 5¾, 6, 6¼ and 6½. Regular price $1.75. **Saturday's sale price 98c.**
Fabric imitation undressed kid gloves, half lined, very warm and serviceable, all colors. **Saturday's sale price 25c.**
Women's suede finish, chamois lined gloves, black only. **Saturday's sale price 50c.**
Women's mercerized golf gloves of fine wool yarn, black, white and all colors. **Saturday's sale price 25c.**
Boy's and girls' wool golf gloves, plain colors and fancies. **Saturday's sale price 25c.**
Men's Scotch wool gloves in dark fancies. **Saturday's sale price 25c.**

Thanksgiving Handkerchief Sale.

AT TWO FOR 25c. Women's India linen hemstitched handkerchiefs with lace corners. Regular price 25c.
AT 10c. Women's pure linen handkerchiefs with hand embroidered initial, regular price 15 cents.
AT 10c. Men's pure linen hemstitched handkerchiefs, full size, regular price 15c.

Hosiery---Only Kind That Wears Satisfactory. Bargains for Saturday.

AT TWO PAIR FOR 25c. "Bronco Buster" hosiery for boys and girls. Strong, elastic, durable, and guaranteed fast black, equal in value to any hose sold in this city at 25c outside of this store, all sizes. The same price.
AT TWO PAIR FOR 25c. Boys and girls "Matchless" hosiery, fleece lined, seamless, elastic and fast black, all sizes.
AT 25c. We offer a dozen or more kinds of the celebrated "Pony" hose for boys and girls, ever pair guaranteed to wear entirely satisfactory. All sizes.
AT 15c. Infants' hosiery, extra quality fine wool, black or white, sizes 4½ to 6.
AT 25c. Infants hosiery, fine cashmere wool, silk heel and toe, black, white and colors.
AT 25c. We show an exceptionally strong line of children's cashmere wool hose, double knees, double heel and toes.
AT 25c. Women's wool hose, black or grey mixed, exceptional values.
AT 35c. Women's black cashmere wool hose, all sizes, regular price 50c.
AT 15c. Women's fleeced lined cotton hose, plain or ribbed. We are also offering exceptional good values in cotton hose at 25c and 35c.

Special Bargains for Saturday from Our Domestic Department.

AT 49c THE PAIR. Extra heavy cotton blankets, full size, grey, tan and white with border, exceptional values.
AT 5½c. Percale 32 inches wide, in red, black and blue grounds. Regular price 10c.
AT 75c. Waist patterns of white Oxford cloth with embroidery front and cuffs. Regular price $1.25.
AT $1.50. An exceptional value, silkaline covered comforts filled with white cotton, hand-knotted. Regular price $2.00.
AT 25c. Outing flannel skirts, full length, amply wide, light or dark patterns.
AT 7c. We offer 2000 yards 36 in. wide, extra heavy brown muslin in three to ten yard lengths. Regular price 10c the yard.
AT 10c. Huck towels extra heavy quality, size 18x38 inches, fast colored border. Regular price 15c.
AT 48c. 100 dozen napkins, size 18x18, heavy linen napkins, pure white.

Special Sale Women's Washable Waists. $2.00 Waists for $1.00.

We place on sale Saturday morning 15 hundred stylish waists. The surplus stock of one of the best manufacturers in New York city. The price we secured these waists for, enables us to offer this extraordinary bargain. The assortment includes only wash waists of fine quality mercerized English vestings, plain white, neat stripes and figures, also white with small black figures and dots. All are made in the very latest style, large sleeve, and stock collar, strictly tailor-made. Not a waist in the lot that could be bought in the regular way for less than $1.75 to $2.00.

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BANK ROBBERY

May Have Been Committed at Mendon

Doors of Bank's Safe Could Not Be Opened This Morning.

EXPERT IS SENT FOR

To Come From Toledo to Open Up the Doors of the Safe.

Rumor From Van Wert Says Town Was Visited by Desperadoes.

The citizens of the little town of Mendon, situated on the Delphos and Dayton branch of the C H & D railroad, ten or twelve miles north of Celina were thrown into a frenzy of excitement today over the discovery of what is believed to indicate that the bank of Mendon, the only banking institution in the town had been robbed The officers of the bank upon going to the institution this morning found the doors of the bank's vault closed and the combinations in such condition that it was impossible for them to open them All efforts to manipulate the tumblers failed and a message was sent to Toledo requesting that an expert be sent there to open the safe and until this is done the question of whether or not the bank has been robbed will not be determined

At Van Wert this afternoon some men who claimed that they had driven through from Mendon told a sensational story about six men having driven into the town with two stolen rigs and attempting to blow the bank safe with nitro glycerine, that they were driven out of the town by citizens and had cut telephone and telegraph wires as they went This story was not confirmed however, by a citizen of Mendon with whom the Times-Democrat conversed over the telephone this afternoon

It is said that there was between sixty and seventy five thousand dollars in the bank's vaults when the institution closed after banking hours yesterday afternoon

ORDER

your Thanksgiving turkey at Thomas' grocery They will be country dressed thu-mon 7-2t

A LIMA SON

Left to Mourn Death of His Mother in Texas

Mrs Susan R Fisher, mother of I W Fisher, mayor-elect of Delphos died at Dennison, Texas, aged 70 years, 9 months and 6 days

Deceased leaves one son in this city Mr George L Fisher, engineer at the C H & D shops E B Fisher of Grand Rapids, Mich, and a daughter, Mrs T. F Fitzmartin, of Dennison, Texas, at whose home she passed away

The remains will reach Delphos this evening and the funeral will occur tomorrow from the M E church in that city.

TOWNSEND'S SATURDAY SPECIAL

Swift Pride Soap, 18 bars for ... 50c
Granulated sugar, 25 lbs for ... $1.00
Navy beans, 6 lbs for ... 25c
W Baker's chocolate, per ½ cake 15c
Beef boil, 6 lbs for ... 25c
Beef roast, per lb ... 7c
Beef steak per lb ... 8c

If you have your sittings for photos made at Ebersole's studio, we know you will get something fine tu fri 5 2t

Mrs Austin's Pancake flour is best of all A fresh supply now on hand at your grocers 34 6t

Ebersole, Lima's leading photographers tu fri 5 2t

HARRY THOMAS

has his poultry all dressed in the country by the good farmer wives who know how to dress them Order now thu mon 7 2t

All the latest styles in photographs can be seen at the Ebersole Studio tu fri 5 2t

COUNTRY

dressed turkeys for Thanksgiving at Harry Thomas' grocery Order now don't wait thu mon 7 2t

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You may as well get into the good clothes game at once; We have the things that will fit you for it. It's a game every man ought to be in; but if you can't be right in it, you'd better keep out altogether.

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SPLENDID SUITS AND OVERCOATS,
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FINEST GRADE SUITS AND OVERCOATS,
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New Hats for Thanksgiving.

Eilerman's "Special" Hat in early winter effects of soft and stiff styles, in blacks, browns or pearls. Special
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SUPERIOR GRADE HATS.

Presenting more and better soft and stiff hat shapes than any other line in the country. All colors,
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